Executive Proclamation
State of South Dakota
Office of the Governor

Whereas, Master Sergeant Dale L. Greenfield's dedication to service has made him a valuable asset to this state and country; and,

Whereas, We have very few occasions to recognize the patriotic individuals for their service to this state and country; and,

Whereas, Master Sergeant Greenfield has devoted more than 27 years of his life to the service of this state and country as a Combat Engineer and a Chemical Operations Specialist, and was deployed in support of Operation Iraqi Freedom II, the Gulf War, and served many months overseas to include Hawaii, Nicaragua, and Italy; and,

Whereas, His loyalty and leadership have made him a cornerstone in the Armed Forces of this country; and,

Whereas, Master Sergeant Greenfield continues to give of himself; and,

Whereas, It is fitting and proper as Governor to commend Master Sergeant Dale L. Greenfield for more than 27 years of dedicated and outstanding service to this state and country:

Now, Therefore, I, M. Michael Rounds, Governor of the state of South Dakota, do hereby proclaim August 31, 2009, as

MASTER SERGEANT DALE L. GREENFIELD DAY

in South Dakota, and I join with his family and friends in wishing him well in his retirement and thanking him for his service to the state of South Dakota and to the United States of America.

In Witness Whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and caused to be affixed the Great Seal of the state of South Dakota, in Pierre, the Capital City, this Eighth Day of July in the Year of Our Lord, Two Thousand and Nine.

M. Michael Rounds, Governor

Attest:

Chris Nelson, Secretary of State